

Honorable Jack Brooks, Chairman Committee on Government Operations House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

This is in response to your request for the views of the Central Intelligence Agency on H.R. 424, a Bill "To amend the Privacy Act of 1974 and the Communications Act of 1934 to provide for the protection of telephone records, and for other purposes."

We are formulating our position with respect to the proposal, and we will send you our report as soon as it has been appropriately coordinated within the Executive Branch and cleared by the Office of Management and Budget.

	Sincerely,	
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3.) Executive Dire	ctor, 22	FEB 1983	عراط	report on the bill and sending It
4-2-				ance process on bills such as these usually is lengthy, and in many cases clearance is never
55 25 2				obtained because there is no chance of the Congress moving on the bill. For this reason we
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